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P. R. MILNES

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FINIS IS WRITTEN

The totals, whether they appear in black or red in the ledgers of life and business, have been added up for the year 1935, and this morning we open a new set of books for the year 1936.

PAGES ARE BLANK

What will be written on those blank pages it is impossible to tell or foresee. Whether good or ill, much depends on ourselves. The gift of prophecy has descended upon few human beings, unless we except the Hollywood seer whose chief business it seems to be to forecast marital trouble for filmdom's stars. But major events, however, over which the individual has no control, mysteriously work out their own destinies.

THE PAST YEAR

The year just passed has been a momentous one in many respects. There were many events of interest and importance which now have found their niches in history. The ten outstanding news stories have been assembled as follows:

- 1.—The Alaskan airplane disaster in which Will Rogers and Wiley Post lost their lives.
- 2.—The trial of Bruno Hauptmann for the kidnapping and murder of the Lindbergh baby.
- 3.—The great dust storm which devastated many middlewestern states.
- 4.—The disastrous collision of the Ward Line steamer Mohawk with the Norwegian freighter Tallman off the New Jersey coast.
- 5.—The scrapping of the Versailles treaty by Germany.
- 6.—The assassination of Senator Huey P. Long.
- 7.—The decision of the United States Supreme Court declaring the NIRA to be unconstitutional.
- 8.—The invasion of Ethiopia by Italy.
- 9.—The Weyerhaeuser kidnapping at Tacoma, Washington.
- 10.—Inauguration of trans-Pacific mail and passenger service by the China Clipper.

4. OR GUESSESS.
In view of bad guesses made in 1935 by economists and politicians (Continued on page 8)

Friends Honor W. D. Mason At Hotel Luncheon

Old-time friends of W. D. "Billy" Mason, former local Standard Oil company manager and at present manager of the Sun Oil plant at Philadelphia gathered at a luncheon in his honor yesterday noon at Hotel Carquinez.

Mr. Mason arrived from his East several days ago on a business trip. On Monday night he was honored guest at a dinner held at a local cafe.

Present at yesterday's luncheon were E. M. Downer, Dr. C. L. Abbott, county coroner; City Attorney T. H. DeLap; Superintendent of Schools Walter T. Helms; P. M. Sanford, president of the Chamber of Commerce; Dr. Harry Ford; Emmett Ward, Frank Kales; Tax Collector J. O. Ford; County Supervisor James N. Long and Mr. Mason.

France, Britain Sign New Pact

PARIS, Dec. 31.—UP—France and Britain closed a critical year tonight with an agreement that neither would make a singlehanded deal with Germany on land or air forces. The breach in Franco-British relations, caused by the Anglo-German naval agreements allowing the Nazis to build up to 35 per cent of British sea strength by categories in violation of the Versailles treaty, thus finally is healed. Britain promises not to do it again.

NO PAPER THURSDAY
All employees of the RICHMOND RECORD-HERALD will observe the New Year holiday today. Every department of this newspaper will be closed throughout today and tonight. As a result, no newspaper will be published Thursday morning. The next issue will be at subscribers' doorsteps on Friday morning.



GREETINGS

HAPPY NEW YEAR



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1936 GIVEN GREETINGS BY RICHMOND

Richmond welcomed the birth of a new year last evening with appropriate and time-honored ceremonies.

Promptly at midnight bedlam broke loose. Whistles on all of the Richmond factories were opened wide; automobile horns sounded; sirens shrilled; bells were rung and shots were fired. Altogether it was one of the noisiest and gayest greetings ever accorded the advent of a new year.

A GAY EVENING
The evening was a gay one for residents of the city. Innumerable parties were held at private homes while lodges and other organizations held public celebrations. Several local churches held watch services and are planning special church services today.

Night clubs in the area were reported doing a landoffice business throughout the earlier part of the evening. Police and sheriff's deputies and liquor law enforcement officers from the State Board of Equalization had announced earlier in the evening that the lid would be clamped down promptly at 2 o'clock this morning.

LODGES CELEBRATE
Police did their usual New Year's eve business picking up those who were celebrating not too wisely but too well.

One of the outstanding celebrations of the evening was held by (Continued on page 8)

Board Denies Oil Companies Evading Taxes

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 31.—UP—The State Board of Equalization today denied assertions submitted by Walter S. Coen, Los Angeles attorney, to the effect that California oil companies have evaded gasoline taxes to the extent of \$3,743,000 through temperature adjustments in gallonage during the past 13 years.

"In a series of assumptions, wholly unsupported by facts, Coen asserts that all the oil companies have evaded their taxes through manipulation of gasoline gallonage as far back as 1923."

"These allegations are, so contrary to the truth that they could not be urged honestly by anyone having even a passing knowledge of the facts surrounding the petroleum industry in California," the board said in a prepared statement.

Missing Army Flier Sought By 300 Planes

HAMILTON FIELD, Dec. 31.—UP—Thirty-five army airplanes roared over 300 miles of territory between Hamilton field and the Tehachapi mountains tonight, hunting for the plane of Lieut. J. P. Helm, aviator, reported missing since yesterday afternoon.

Helm took off on a training flight at 4 P. M. yesterday, headed for March Field at Riverside. Due at 7 P. M., he failed to arrive or report his whereabouts and has not been seen since.

Army officials here believed that he had met with accident somewhere in the sparsely settled regions of the southern San Joaquin valley or Mojave desert.

F. D. R. Message To Be Given Friday

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—UP—Senate and House leaders late today agreed to receive President Roosevelt's message to Congress Friday night.

CAR KILLS PINOLE MAN

Search For Alvin Karpis, Is Failure

To Meet Selasie's Troops



WITH THE Hoare-Laval peace plan dead, none could see possibility of a solution of the Italo-Ethiopian controversy by negotiation and it was expected Italy would have to rely on her troops and guns. Here are men of an Italian contingent, known as the Tevere Division, as they were ready recently to board a transport at Naples for the African fronts.

Wealthy N. Y. Girl Found Dead In S. F.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—The body of Katherine Torrey, 26, apparently wealthy former New Yorker, was found today on the floor of a bedroom of her luxurious Marin district home. Police said she had committed suicide.

A bottle which had contained sleeping tablets was on a table near the bed, and nearby was a note which indicated suicidal intent but gave no motive.

The note was addressed to a maid May Cadamby, who found the body. It warned her: "Don't get hysterical. I'm just in a sound sleep."

The note continued: "Don't fight over my millions. Please divide it, 50 per cent to J. Ross and the rest to E. L. Farley. Never have made a will but please give the ring I wear to Dorothy Pringle Lantz."

"Thank you all. I insist that you give that ring to Dot. In instant. My love and appreciation for you and sister dear and 'Daddy'."

The sister, officer said, is Mrs. J. L. Ross, who left the home at 66 Rico Way last week to go to Virginia City, Nev., where Miss Torrey was to have followed today or tomorrow.

George Bowman Pleads Guilty; Asks Probation

MARTINEZ, Dec. 31.—Pleading guilty to a statutory charge, Geo. Bowman, 24-year-old Richmond grocery clerk, asked probation when he appeared before Superior Judge T. D. Johnston today.

Attorney George Carmody was named by the court to represent the defendant and the case was referred to the county probation officer for a report on January 5.

Bowman was arrested with a 15-year-old Richmond girl at a Richmond hotel.

WILL WED
MARTINEZ, Dec. 31.—Notice of intention to wed was filed with the county clerk today by Joseph A. G. Brown, 30, of 319 Channel avenue, Richmond, and Ida Belle Burrows, 22, 917 Channel avenue, Richmond.

BANDIT PAL IS UNABLE TO AID COPS

F. Benson Is Crushed By Automobile

32 OF RED CROSS CREW ARE SLAIN

Death rode the highways last night, claiming as his final victim of the year in Contra Costa County, Fred Benson, Pinole resident.

Benson died en route to a local hospital shortly after 8 o'clock last night. Death was caused by internal hemorrhaging. His body was badly bruised; his ribs were crushed and his left leg was broken.

According to coroner's officers, Benson was struck by a car driven by Robert Raftery, 1931 Ardmore street, Berkeley at San Pablo avenue and Fernandez streets, Pinole.

Raftery was accompanied by his wife and Mark Johnson, 2523 Ridge Road, Berkeley. The three are college students.

Raftery told coroner's officers and Deputy District Attorney Homer Patterson that Benson stepped into the path of his machine. Benson was crossing the street from east to west and the Raftery coupe was driving north.

A Wilson and Kratzer ambulance was summoned and the injured man was taken to a local hospital. He was pronounced dead on arrival here.

Raftery, his wife and Johnson were brought to the coroner's office by Constable Eugene Shea of Pinole. The three and several witnesses of the accident were questioned by Patterson. The driver was later released.

Benson's age is unknown. He was employed by the Standard Oil plant here. He leaves no known relatives here.

Suicide Of Berkeley Man Is Balked

BERKELEY, Dec. 31.—Arthur J. Andre, 44, lumber mill operator and member of a pioneer Berkeley family, was found hanging in the basement of his home at 835 Forest street today and taken to the Portola hospital in Oakland after he had been partially revived by a fire department inhaler squad.

Andre was found by his wife, Rose, who told police she became alarmed and started a search for him after he had left his bedroom this morning and failed to return.

He was hanging in a rope noose suspended from a rafter and was unconscious.

Mrs. Andre called her husband's brother, Louis Andre, who lives next door, and he cut the rope. The inhaler squad was summoned and after working over the unconscious man for an hour succeeded in partially reviving him. Then he was taken to the hospital where physicians described his condition as critical.

Mrs. Andre said her husband had been suffering from fits of despondency for some time and apparently had been near a nervous breakdown. No notes were found to give any explanation for his act.

Andre is part owner of a lumber mill here. He was born in Berkeley of pioneer parents.

Alcohol Murder Verdict Returned In Holdup Death

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 31.—An inquest verdict today accused two unidentified robbers of murdering Benjamin F. Webber, 67, by alcohol.

Webber was held up at his liquor store December 23 by two men who forced him to drink a pint of whiskey in a few minutes, police reported. His death several hours later was caused by acute alcoholism, an autopsy disclosed.

The robbers escaped after falling in their efforts to make Webber reveal where he may have hidden money.

COVERS THE FIELD
The Record-Herald Is Unsurpassed In Its Coverage of Local, State and National News.
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Today's Entries

FIRST RACE: Futurity.
 Charlie, Pussie, Monkhill, Albion
 Sergeant, Just Memories, Angella
 Master's Boy, Red Hot Music,
 Gallant Dove, Tom's Pal.

SECOND RACE: Futurity.
 Red Mts, Masked Mary, Albion
 Pussie, Molly, Don Camp Boss,
 Lady Eve, Sam Gallant, Mike
 Mollie, Marie Cherokee, Last Min-
 ute.

THIRD RACE: Futurity.
 Aunt Kae Kae, White Hawk, Blue
 Speaker, Grey Mist, Dangerous
 Spot, Ravall, Sporting King, Mid-
 night Dream, Nevada Zee, Jimmy
 Carroll.

FOURTH RACE: Futurity.
 Meadow Pts, Rush Settler, Miss
 Carroll, Dolly Capers, Play Queen
 Snoodle Sade, Aisle Spur, King's
 Daughter, Dr. Grey, Blaine Mont-
 eith.

FIFTH RACE: 5-16 Mile.
 Betty W. War Veteran, Flying
 Melody, Twister, Chow Mein, Nita
 Lady, Dan Byrnes, Gy Cy,
 Buck Carlos, Blue Dragon.

SIXTH RACE: Futurity.
 Tully, Tactician, Lady, Idle Con-
 gressman, Sally Andrew, War
 Ship, Champions, Hen Bar, Star
 Hope, To To.

SEVENTH RACE: 5-16 Mile.
 Just Weir, Master Blue, Risky
 Miss Thillie, Phoebe, Another
 Gun, Big Machine, Foaming Nig,
 Success, Port Stockton.

EIGHTH RACE: Futurity.
 Carma Toy, Pearlene, Bold, Bar-
 abarian, Joe Brennan, Lucky Deu-
 ass, Amelia Wolf, Nicker Nate,
 Winter Play, Foaming Red, Ma
 Edge.

NINTH RACE: 5-16 Mile.
 Seldes Dictator, Chic, Gladys
 Haft, King's Memory, The Mad-
 don, Free Gals, Alder Gulch, Har-
 vest Queen, Also eligible Armis-
 tie Day.

TENTH RACE: Futurity.
 Canary Hazard, Midnight Major.

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 LAST AND ALWAYS IN
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 (INCLUDING
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 THIS BRANCH OF MATHEMATICS
 ORIGINATED IN INDIA AND WAS
 BROUGHT TO EUROPE IN PRIME-
 TIME FORM BY THE ARABS, WHO
 NAMED IT "AL-ABR" (ADJUST-
 MENT) FROM WHICH WE GOT
 THE WORD "ALGEBRA."

HEP
 THIS SLANG TERM ME-
 TO BE AWARE OF SOME-
 THING WAS ORIGINALLY THE VI-
 CTORY CRY OF THE CRUSADE.
 IT WAS FORMED FROM THE
 INITIAL LETTERS OF THE
 PHRASE "HIEROSOLYMA EST
 PERDITA" (JERUSALEM IS
 DESTROYED).

DOG RACES
 Enjoy Our Heated
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El Cerrito DOG TRACK

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5-16th MILE MATCH RACE
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 All Women Admitted Free
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Speeder
 Bobby Wilson, Southern
 Methodist University's All-
 America halfback. He will be
 the Mustangs' chief threat in
 the Rose Bowl game with
 Stanford.

Today's Selections
FIRST RACE: Futurity.
 Lucille, Charlie, Gallant Dove.
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 Molly Lee, Masked Mary, Albion King,
 Dangerous Spot, White Hawk, Jimmy Carroll.
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WEST ELEVEN'S UNDERDOGS IN GAMES TODAY
 Football fans of the west coast have their choice today of one of two games—either the Rose Bowl game between Stanford and Southern California or the East-West game at San Francisco.

Those without the necessary do-
 mestic may sit by the radio today
 and listen in to the games being
 broadcast by the major broad-
 casting chain.

Two western teams will enter
 the contests as underdogs. Stan-
 ford is conceded little chance to
 win from the Mustangs while the
 All-East squad are favorites to
 trim the All-West team in the
 Shrine charity game at Kezar sta-
 dion.

Stanford, defeated two times in
 the past two years in Rose Bowl
 games, is determined to break
 the six. At least 90,000 fans will pack
 the Rose Bowl to see the game.

The Mustangs, cocky, fancy-man-
 euvring, are planning to unleash
 a wildcat attack while Tiny
 Thorburn, Stanford grid mentor
 will rely upon his fast charging
 line to break up Mustang plays.

It should prove to be a fight to
 the finish and will more or less
 prove that the fancy playing of the
 Southern eleven is superior to
 the conservative, bone-crushing at-
 tack of the Stanford team—or vice-
 versa.

A perfect day has been forecast
 by the weather man for the game.
 At San Francisco the outstand-
 ing stars of the East and West will
 do battle. This is another game
 which will attract a record crowd.
 The money will go to the Shrine-
 crippled children fund.

Coaches Andy Kerr and Dick
 Hanley have brought the cream of
 the Eastern eleven to the West
 Coast and are confident of victory.
 Betting odds are 2 to 1 in favor of
 the East.

However, the Western team,
 composed of such outstanding stars
 as Chuck Cheshire, Larry Lutz,
 Dick Smith and others are out to
 show the betting public that the
 odds are unreasonable.

WEST ELEVEN'S UNDERDOGS IN GAMES TODAY

Speeder



BOBBY WILSON, Southern Methodist University's All-America halfback. He will be the Mustangs' chief threat in the Rose Bowl game with Stanford.

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The DAILY WASHINGTON MERRY GO ROUND

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—The year ending today marked a definite turning point in the political fortunes of Franklin Roosevelt and his New Deal.

Future historians may call it something else, but the Merry-Go-Round hereby tags it "The End of the Federal Era."

During the year 1935 the people of the United States began to realize that the feet of their President were clay. No longer could he write his own ticket.

The Federal Era lasted from March 4, 1933, to November 7, 1934. During that period what little criticism there was of Roosevelt, was undertaken and apologized in the Literary Digest poll, but a majority will vote for him rather than show horses in midstream, as clearly swayed by the Washington Merry-Go-Round poll.

PRESENT POLICY
 Roosevelt's policy during the coming months will be to rest on his oars. He will do as little as possible.

Future policy beyond that will depend on two things. One is what the Supreme Court does to his New Deal program. If the court scuttles the AAA and other important measures, Roosevelt will fight back.

The second is the Republican National convention in June. If the Republicans nominate Hoover, Knox or a conservative candidate, Roosevelt will swing further to the right. He will stress whatever conservative achievements in his Administration he can.

But if Borah is nominated, the Roosevelt strategy will be to swing even further to the left, in other words, to out-Borah Borah.

CANDID CAMERAS
 Not many people have noticed it, but no more candid camera photos of the President are being published. Reason is that they are banned by strict White House orders.

What happened was this: Tom McAvoy, crack candid cameraman, went into the President's office last summer along with other photographers. And while the others were setting up their tripods, he got a whole series of informal views of Roosevelt.

The President was in a highly jovial mood. He was laughing, blowing cigarette smoke in the air, and making faces at his friends among the cameramen. And the snaps which McAvoy registered showed some very startling grimaces.

He sold these to a news magazine for \$750, and they were published just about the time the whispering campaign about the President's health and nervous system was at its height.

Immediately came a White House ban on candid cameras.

RECOVERY
 Since Congress adjourned last summer, however, Roosevelt stock has risen definitely on the upgrade. The President has regained part of his popularity and confidence.

Four factors were behind this: One was the assassination of Huey Long, a daring and ruthless political manipulator, the Louisiana Kingfish was one of the most potent of the enemies centering their fire on the New Deal. His Share-the-Wealth program was a real menace.

Second was the definite improvement in business conditions. The building industry, practically at a standstill during the last four years, displayed a real revival in 1935. The automobile industry had one of the best years in its history. Steel, textiles, electrical production—all were on the upgrade. And there is nothing which quashes political discontent as much as prosperity.

Third was relative prosperity among the farmers. For the first time in years, the farmer had some

NEW YORK INSIDE OUT

By DON O'MALLEY

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Kate City leads quite a spectacular existence. She is generally sentimental and istence. He makes his home on the terrace outside the Rainbow Grill her glucose songs and soft-voiced comment, she sounds that way.

In visible action during her program, however, the bawdy Kate presents a different picture. She dashes into the studio with bustle, dress like rain. No audience allowed. During rehearsal she gives com- mands, as clearly indicated by the swash horses in midstream, as clearly swayed by the Washington Merry-Go-Round poll.

When the broadcast goes on she sings with impetuous gestures toward orchestra, director and manager, heating time vigorously, attending earnestly to the business in hand. Afterwards, she becomes her cheerful, smiling self again.

Seems confusing—but radio sing- ers are to be heard, not seen.

MIXER Probably the screwiest career to be found among New York's seven million is that of Elias Goldberg. Officially, Goldberg works as a janitor in the balcony of the Mayfair theater, but on the outside he paints pictures—none of them for a one-man show at the El Mirador's new art gallery on Eighth street.

Goldberg can out-tough the toughest of them when necessary, but he does it with a philosopher's impersonality. He reads Aeschylus and Euripides and the French novelists in the original. He's been a government stenographer at the Brooklyn Navy Yard and in Washington. He's ditched for electric com- panies, minded babies for bridge- playing mothers, run kitchens in country mansions.

As a boy he studied art in New York, and has kept at it on and off ever since. He doesn't mind being a bouncer, because it gives him a chance to meet all kinds of people.

An artist, in other words, who lives life with a bang.

HIGH LIFE—That "pigeon up on top of the RCA building in Radio City" was a first play by Laurence Riley, Brock Pemberton, producer, has earned two or three hundred thousand from the piece. Riley is now a wealthy young man plying between New York, Hollywood and Palm Beach—Got any scripts in your trunk?

SILVER MOTH
 By MILDRED SNOW GLEASON
 (AUTHOR OF "CASTLE OF DOOM")

Kurt Hastings, secretly known as the Silver Moth, who makes a business of dangerous adven- ture, is persuaded by a stranger to take a mysterious packet of documents from Rome to Cal- ifornia. At Alexandria, Kurt is attacked, barely escaping death, but he succeeds in delivering the packet in Cairo. He then hastens to his sister, Christine Masters, at Kom-el-Ahmar, near Cairo. He finds a strained situation among the Europeans there and is surprised to see Grey Masters with a certain Menelas Papadopoulos, for Papadopoulos was the man who attacked him in Alex- andria. A few days later comes news of Papadopoulos' death. Shortly afterwards, on return- ing home from a dinner party one night, Kurt is startled by an abrupt command, "Don't move."

CHAPTER XVIII
 KURT heard a muttered curse from the bushes and grinned to himself. "I have no intention of hurting you," the whisper came again.

Kurt breathed very softly and held himself motionless, making no sound. "I come as a friend to warn you."

That might be Kurt thought with a grim smile, but he wasn't taking any chances. For a moment there was silence followed by a rustling of leaves. Then Kurt made out a shadowy figure in the person was covered by a long heavy cape.

"Can you see me now?" the whisper came. "Isn't this proof that I am a friend?"

Kurt hesitated a second. He had a great longing to know what was under that cape. If he could discover the identity of the man without the fellow suspecting in his own hands. He forced himself to relax thinking rapidly. Then still keeping the trunk of the tree between them, he spoke quietly.

"Very well, what have you to say?"

"You must leave Egypt immedi- ately. Above all, leave Kom-el-Ahmar to-morrow morning."

Kurt laughed softly. "Because your life is in danger?"

"Why should you worry about that?"

"I can't stand the thought of more victims. I can't let an inno- cent man be murdered."

"Many thanks for your generos- ity," Kurt said dryly. "For heaven's sake, Hastings, get out!"

"You would feel much happier and safer if I did?"

"You misunderstand me com- pletely," the man said in such a plaintive whisper that Kurt laughed aloud. "My actions to- night are purely disinterested."

Kurt signed. "You must think I'm an awful fool," he said, and then his voice hardened. "You are wasting your time and mine. If you think or anyone else thinks that I can be frightened away you have made a mistake."

SCREEN TREATS OFFERED FOR TODAY'S BILL

The Fox theater celebrates the New Year today with a continuous program offering two splendid en- tertainment hits of the whole fam- ily, Ginger Rogers and George Brent in "In Person" plus Peter B. Kyne's "Cappy Ricks Returns" as the screen treats to be pre- sented.

Ginger Rogers and George Brent star in one of the happy twin hits entitled "In Person." A tempera- mental screen star falls in love with an independent male who curbs his affection on the grounds that her allure and national popu- larity are no excuse for her ex- asperating eccentric. Stormy and sentimental scenes follow. Ginger sings some new songs, "Got a New Lease on Life," "Don't Mention Love to Me" and "Out of Sight, Out of Mind." She dances also, and the picture moves on to a happy ellip- soidal through its comedy and ro- mance.

Alan Mowbray and Grant Mitchell are in the supporting cast.

Peter B. Kyne's "Cappy Ricks Re- turns" completes the program, with Robert McWade as Cappy Ricks and Kenneth Harlan, Ray Walker and Florine McKinney in important roles.

REV. AND MRS. J. CHESTER WHITE of the First Presbyterian church have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. F. D. R. Moore of Los Angeles.

Two anniversaries of Mrs. May Hall, was m the home of 502 Pennsylvania. A number c can had eas celebrate e news of the public.

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BETROTHAL OF LOCAL COUPLE IS ANNOUNCED

Announcement of the engagement of Miss May Ostrander to Mr. Lloyd Hall, was made at a party held at the home of Mrs. M. O. Duncan, 502 Pennsylvania avenue last week. A number of friends of Mrs. Duncan had gathered at her home to celebrate her birthday when the news of the betrothal was made public.

Mrs. Duncan is a pioneer resident of the city, having come here in 1901. Her birthday cake was presented by her son, Owen Duncan. No date has been set for the marriage of Miss Ostrander, who is a niece of Mrs. Duncan. Hall is the son of Mrs. C. H. Hall, 708 Seventh street. Miss Ostrander is living with Mrs. Duncan. She is a graduate of the local schools.

Hall is also a graduate of the local high school and the University of California. He is employed as a chemist by Shell Oil company at Martinez.

ANNIVERSARIES CELEBRATED BY W. M. GREENS

Two anniversaries were celebrated at the W. M. Green home at 1250 South Fifty-sixth street last week.

Wheeler Green was honored guest at a surprise birthday party held last Saturday night. More than 50 persons surprised Green.

On Sunday the 26th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Green was celebrated. Their daughter and son-in-law entertained them with a dinner on Sunday and there was a dinner in their honor Monday night at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Green have lived in this city for the past 20 years. He is a contractor.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES AID TO CONVENT

A book review will be presented by Mrs. Clifford Laughman at the meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Presbyterian church on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. F. C. Shallenberger will preside over the meeting. The session will be held at the church parlors and will be followed by refreshments.

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12:30 CLUB WILL MEET ON THURSDAY

The first meeting of the new year will be held by the members of the Twelve Thirty Club on Thursday afternoon. The group will meet at a cafe at 1632 Macdonald avenue for luncheon.

In the afternoon members will go to the home of Mrs. Maude Phillips, 3633 Nevin avenue for a business meeting and cards.

Mrs. Albert Hailles, the new president, will preside.

7 Of Family Are Being Held In Murder Probes

CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—Seven members of one family were seized by police in their search for the three assassins who shot State Representative Albert J. Peichano to death on the threshold of his home Sunday night.

They were Vincent Cutler, 48, his daughter, Ann, 24; three sons and two nephews. From them the police said they hoped to obtain information about Sam Lapicola, wanted for questioning concerning the ownership of a decrepit motor car abandoned by the killers.

Lapicola is believed to be related to the Cutler family. Meanwhile Sam Giardina, 54, was held after he appeared at the home of Angelo Lazza, who was arrested last night. When Giardina said he was looking for a man named "Lapicola" the police seized him, suspecting he might be Lapicola.

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JAPAN WANTS PEACE SAYS JAP EDUCATOR

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 31.—UP.—Ninety-nine percent of Japan's intellectuals want peace with the United States forever, Toyohiko Kagawa, Japanese Christian leader states.

"I know I speak the sentiments of almost all our people when I say this," the Orient's foremost religious figure asserted. "It is a mistake to assume that bitterness exists in Japan against the American people."

Kagawa is here to address sessions of the student volunteer movement convention.

Kagawa said the Japanese exclusion bill enforced by this country had not aroused serious resentment among the Nipponese and pointed out that Japan was linked commercially with the United States.

"Our economic life is bound up with that of America. The bulk of our foreign commerce is with this country. Day after day news of the New York markets and financial situation is of vital interest to us," he said.

Hollywood Film Shop

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 31.—UP.—There are 10 pictures, and only 10, that have made screen history from the time the first nickelodeons opened their doors, according to a consensus of Hollywood's leading directors.

All the directors agreed on the first: D. W. Griffith's "Birth of a Nation," made in 1915. It took cinema out of the novelty class and established it as a definite new form of entertainment.

The second picture, eight directors voted, was "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse." This gave the industry the so-called "road show," a movie that played twice daily to reserved seat audiences. It was made in 1921.

In 1923 two pictures appeared, and each was a milestone. One was "The Ten Commandments," directed by Cecil B. De Mille, and the other was James Cruze's "The Covered Wagon." One was reverently converted to the movies. The other was the first of the historical epics, a saga of national heroism.

At this time also came "The Birth of a Nation," first of the "blockbuster" melodramas, which opened a new field for the cameras. "The Big Parade" in 1925 started a flood of war stories and was a tremendous peace achievement.

In 1927, "The Jazz Singer" changed the whole motion picture scheme. Sound came to the screen, and words and music opened up a vast storehouse of entertainment. In 1932, "Grand Hotel" was made, and imposed "all star" casts in drama confined to a single setting became the vogue—another new departure of lasting effect.

Last year the Grace Moore picture, "One Night of Love," converted the public to a new appreciation of music, and the operatic cycle began. It is just now rounding into form, with the Swarthbouts, Kiepuras, Martins, Ponses, et al., in Hollywood to help.

The tenth picture chosen by the directorial jury hasn't been released yet. It is somewhat of an experiment, being the first feature length film to be done in color without artificial help. It is Walter Wanger's "Trail of the Lonesome Pine," and most of it is being taken outdoors without extra lighting to make the colors more vivid. The directors expect it to be a deciding factor in putting the industry into the long-predicted use of color.

Directors who voted on the poll were Clarence Brown, King Vidor, Robert Z. Leonard, W. S. Van Dyke, C. B. De Mille, Henry King, Henry Hathaway, Frank Borzage, William K. Howard and Norman Taurog.

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CONNIE MACK, veteran manager of the Athletics baseball team, as he observed his 73rd birthday at his home in Philadelphia. While wire and post congratulations poured in on him, with wishes for continued good health, he said he was enthusiastic in building a new team for 1936.

El Cerrito News

AS THINKERS WE DON'T RATE HIGH

W. R. Herden, principal speaker at the Lions Club dinner at the Budweiser Tavern Monday evening, asserted that it has been thoroughly demonstrated that only 200 persons out of 1,000 really think at all; that out of that 200 persons only 20 are capable of thinking a proposition through to its logical conclusion, and that out of that 20 but 2 individuals will have the drive and energy to put their thoughts into action. The Lions were much impressed by Herden's talk, which was on the subject "Thought and Action."

It was announced that the annual Ladies Night will be held on January 20th this year and the party will be at Miami Inn in El Cerrito. There will be a dinner, dancing and entertainment.

In the absence of F. M. Gilbert who was to have been chairman of the day, the president of the club, Forrest M. Wright, presided at Monday's dinner. Gilbert will be chairman next Monday evening.

NEW YEAR'S DINNER THEIR ANNUAL CUSTOM

The Breneman family, the Staleys and the Stevensons will journey to Martinez today to take New Year's dinner with the George Breneman family. George Breneman is a son of Mrs. Fanny Breneman and a sister of Mrs. W. P. Staley, and the New Year dinner in Martinez is an annual event in this family.

WM. RUSTS HOSTS TO MANY FRIENDS

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Rust Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Malmgren of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kiefer of San Francisco; Mrs. Frieda Penner and Mrs. Kate Smith of Oakland.

BACK HOME AGA IN



INFLATION IS PROBLEM FOR NEW CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Democratic leaders were laying plans today for an attempt to cope with two drives for a \$5,000,000,000 expansion of the National money in the coming session of Congress. A battle over monetary expansion threatens in connection with the campaign to pay the \$2,000,000,000 soldiers' bonus immediately. Although Representative Patman, D. Tex., author of the bill to pay with new currency, said he would compromise on the method of payment if necessary, other expansionists, notably Senator Thomas, D. Okla., made plain they would fight any effort to finance the huge outlay through the orthodox issuance of bonds.

Worried, the leaders in the measure are the Frazier-Loomis bill to finance farm indebtedness through currency inflation up to \$3,000,000,000. When the last session of Congress ended, the bill backers had 267 names on a petition to force it to the House floor for a vote.

Only 10 more will be necessary when Congress assembles next Friday. Leaders believe the bill will pass the House if it comes to a vote.

Talk of a "compromise" bonus bill designed to win President Roosevelt's "OK" was heard in many quarters.

Goal Of World Peace Seen By Jap Officials

TOKYO, Jan. 1.—UP.—A goal of world peace was outlined to the Japanese empire by three leading governmental officials today in the New Year's messages of Premier Katsuko Okada, Foreign Minister Koki Hirota, and Admiral Maseki Osumi, minister of marine.

"During the recent period our country has made rapid progress in industry, economy and other fields," Hirota said. "We thereby have established the cornerstone for peace in the Orient."

"Our neighbor Manchukuo also has developed soundly in preparation for assuming responsibility in the task of helping to stabilize East Asia. As a consequence of such progress and developments, our empire has come to play an increasingly important role in the international situation."

Nudist Camp To Be Opened Soon In Sonoma Hills

SONOMA, Dec. 31.—Another nudist camp planned by Nudist Camp Promoter Maurice Allard of San Francisco will be established near here. It became known today when purchase of the old "Silva" ranch on Buena Vista Hill, was announced.

Allard, who has promoted camps in this vicinity, Lake county and Santa Cruz county, informed local residents the camp would be established within the winter permits.

A previous nudist camp was located on the other side of the hill from the new site, but was abandoned when the group ran into difficulties.

By Dodd

Richmond Lions Greet New Year At Meeting Here

The Richmond Lions Club yesterday ushered out the old year at a 1936 meeting held at Hotel Chrysalis, 1211 Nevin street.

Harvey Lyons was the speaker of the day, discussing 1935 work. Baritone solos were rendered by Franklin Roberts, and Shirley Jones, 10-year-old pianist, played selections. E. E. Robbins, saxophonist, was guest artist.

On behalf of the Boy Scouts, L. L. Chafford, district executive, presented the charter to the Lions' room.

The program concluded with a tabernacle presentation of the old year leaving and the new year coming.

Hotel Clerk Is Sought By Cops

SAN JOSE, Dec. 31.—A county-wide search for Herbert H. Meyers, former clerk at the Hotel De Anza, was under way by police today after a warning of the hotel last night in which Meyers is alleged to have killed N. H. Stanley, clerk of \$52.65.

Meyers, police said, disappeared from the hotel last July 25 with \$325 of the hotel's money. On October 5, they said, he robbed the treasury of \$200 in a hold-up.

PAUL KRESSMAN, 801 Thirtieth street, has left for San Diego, where he will attend funeral services for his grandmother, Mrs. M. Kressman.

MR. AND MRS. J. C. WALKER are entertaining Walker's mother, Mrs. D. C. Walker of Birmingham City, Utah and his grandmother, Herbert Lasley, of Rockland, Maine.

30 Cent Theft Brings Arrest

Herbert O. Nelson, 42, Oakland solicitor, is in the city jail serving a five-day sentence imposed on him by Police Judge C. C. O'Connell after Nelson had pleaded guilty to theft of thirty cents from a milk bottle.

According to police Nelson saw the money in the bottle on the front porch of Mrs. Adele Christopher's home at 559 Golden Gate avenue and when Mrs. Christopher refused to answer the doorbell he took the money. The woman called police and Nelson's arrest followed almost immediately.

Mrs. Heady Told Of Death Of Kim

Deaths on two consecutive days brought sorrow to Mrs. L. J. Heady, 1210 Bissell avenue, circulation manager of a local newspaper.

Last Sunday her sister-in-law, Mrs. Julia Heady, 74, of Jefferson town, Ky., died of a heart attack. On the next day Mrs. Heady's youngest brother, Edward Heady, also of Jefferson town, died of a heart attack.

News of the deaths was contained in a telegram received by Mrs. Heady yesterday.

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SECURITY. When we search for the definition of security in the dictionary we find that it means "the state of being secure; freedom from danger or risk; freedom from care or apprehension." Security comes down to us from the Latin words meaning "without care."

If you will study your own struggles, you will find that you are struggling to maintain security in one way or another. You work to protect yourself from that type of insecurity which follows when you are without money. You try to make yourself secure against the possibility of being without a job. You try to make yourself secure against the possibility of being without a home. You try to make yourself secure against the possibility of being without a family. You try to make yourself secure against the possibility of being without a future.

Study your actions, and you will be sure to discover that you are striving for security much of the time. When it rains, you want roof over your head to make you secure against the weather; when it is cold you want a fire from which to secure warmth; you want money in the bank in an effort to make yourself secure financially. In many ways, you keep on struggling constantly, just in an attempt to be as secure as possible. When you are secure in every way, for the first time, you enjoy complete freedom—with insecurity your freedom is limited.

We live in an age when large groups of people feel insecure. The psychological feeling of insecurity is lacking. Certainly, very few of the individuals who you know are completely free from the threat of insecurity. Man is an organism that seeks political security, financial or economic security, and emotional security which includes security in marriage. In none of these fields, do large numbers of people feel secure at this time.

Financial security is very important if people are to be content with their work without wasting a great deal of energy. It is very important if many people do not feel financially secure, due to the disturbance of economic conditions. Economic insecurity is especially felt and there is a large psychological factor involved. Fear of being without work—fear of not having enough money in old age—fear of not being able to provide for the children—all of these are psychological problems of today.

Those who have developed poor health, fear the loss of security which is built on vibrant, buoyant health. They are not sure that they will return to good health. Think what a relief it would be if each man, woman and child, were made absolutely secure against disease.

Emotional security is another important form of security. Under emotional security, I would include security against loneliness, against loss of companionship, against misunderstanding and especially security in marriage. With the present-day threat of divorce, many people regard marriage as an insecure arrangement. However, the greatest happiness, emotional security must develop.

Many people feel insecure because of a lack of education. They are striving for cultural security, for the assurance which comes from the feeling that one is well-educated. Still another form of insecurity arises from a lack of interest in life. Life becomes a dull affair and these people simply do not feel secure against boredom.

When we try to understand what man has done in the past to make himself more secure, we find that he has increased his security only as he used his brain. In his hand he has used the tools of fashion security. You can not have security without a direction until you are ready to think through your problem until you arrive at a correct conclusion. You may win security by doing some honest thinking—by thinking alone will you discover the way to make your self secure. There is a way to meet your problem, you may be sure of that; but you are the one to decide how best to obtain that particular kind of security which seems to you most important.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.
(Graves Lemon Juice)
Question: Donnie T. inquires: "What is the reason I crave lemon juice? Every time I see a cut lemon I am not satisfied until I get a drop or two of the juice. It tastes so good it just seems to satisfy some craving I have."

Answer: Possibly your diet has been lacking in vitamin C and this is the reason the lemon juice is so appealing. Certainly, there is no harm in using it, and in fact, you will benefit from it. Canned tomatoes are another excellent source of vitamin C.

(Eczema)
Question: E. M. L. writes: "I have had eczema for about 10 years. Have been to several doctors and while the remedies prescribed seem to help for awhile, the skin trouble comes back. I can eat anything, but in front of me, my digestion is perfect, but am troubled by delayed elimination from the intestines. Is there anything I can do to clear up the skin?"

Answer: An external remedy may produce temporary results but seldom causes a permanent disappearance of eczema, as it does not remove the systemic cause. I believe you will benefit from a short fast, followed by a simpler diet. Use the enema until the intestinal sluggishness responds to the change in diet. Make it a point to secure an abundance of cod liver oil capsules. Cod liver oil for the purpose of providing the body with plenty of built-in vitamins. The affected area with mild soap and warm water seems to make the skin eruption worse, then cleanse this particular part with sterile cotton and olive oil, but be sure to speed up elimination from the skin of the rest of the body by daily sponge baths, following the bath with a brisk rubbing. Exposed areas of the skin, especially the face, should be of value. When you wish further information, write to me in care of this newspaper and ask for the article on Eczema which I will be glad to send to anyone who requests it. I am sure you will be interested in the article.

A Happy NEW YEAR

IF TIME COULD PAUSE IN FLIGHT...

would the joys of mankind be increased? Probably not... for anticipation is everything in life to those of us on earth. What will happen tomorrow... next week... next month. These are the questions we unconsciously ask ourselves every minute of our lives. Now that the New Year is with us, we wonder

anxiously what 1936 will bring. No one can say, but we can all hope and work to make it happy. And the merchants whose names appear on this page take this opportunity to extend sincere hopes for your happiness in the present year, and to assure you that they will do all in their power to cooperate with you to make 1936 the best and happiest year ever. So here's, in chorus, a "Happy New Year" to the people of Richmond.



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anxiously what 1936 will bring. No one can say; but we can all hope and work to make it happy. And the merchants whose names appear on this page take this opportunity to extend sincere hopes for your happiness in the present year, and to assure you that they will do all in their power to cooperate with you to make 1936 the best and happiest year ever. So here's, in chorus, a "Happy New Year" to the people of Richmond.



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YOUR GOOD HEALTH

Onychia Is Disease of the Nails Which Can Turn Into Blood Poisoning

By CLAUD NORTH CHRISMAN, M.D.

HERE is a topic I do not recall ever discussing before, although the trouble is not an uncommon one. Miss S. K. F., whose address is a hospital, and so I judge she is studying nursing, asks me to publish an article on onychia and paronychia. Those are big names for a trouble that may be very insignificant.

Yet there are times when the names are not nearly large enough. Most authorities use the terms interchangeably.

Onychia is a disease of the area surrounding the fingernails, commonly referred to as "run-around," and when it penetrates deeply a "whitlow." Paronychia is an inflammation of the skin around the fingernail, and according to my classification, when it burrows under the edge of the nail and gets into its root to form an abscess there, it becomes an "onychia."

Some other physician may disagree with my classification, but regardless, they are one and the same thing. The difference, if any, is in degree. To repeat, onychia is an inflammation of the skin around the side of the nail, which, if allowed to continue long enough, burrows under the nail root, causing an abscess.

The matrix, or fold of skin, covering and nourishing the nail root, becomes abscessed, the root of the nail is raised from its bed and the entire nail is sometimes washed entirely away from its bed and dies.

Result of Infection

It is the result of some infection of the lateral border of the skin just as it disappears under the side or base of the nail. The point of entrance is usually small, such as a hangnail, a pin prick, or a little too vigorous application of a nail cleaner, or the simple pushing back of the skin fold at the base of the nail.

A blow or injury to the base of the nail may open a point for the invasion of bacteria. The skin around the side and base of the nail becomes red, swollen, tender, hot and throbbing. In a short time an abscess will form and a drop or two of pus can be pressed out.

At different times, the process will spread slowly or very rapidly across the base of the nail. Sometimes the disease burrows under the nail and pushes it up and it rolls loose at the root and considerable pus exudes. If not promptly and thoroughly treated the condition becomes chronic. It subsides for a short time and then starts up again and may burrow down into the deep tissues and even penetrate to the bone.

Occasionally the disease spreads up the arm and serious trouble results. A general blood poisoning can result from a little pin prick or a hangnail.

Onychia is quite common in certain specific blood diseases, and particularly so in tubercular children. These children may suffer continuously from the condition, often having several fingers affected, which may be cured by treatment of the blood, and if inflammation of the bone, with consequent enlargement of the first joint and even marked deformity.

Is Often Confused

The disease is often confused with "ringworm" and delay in treatment may allow the entrance of bacteria and cause onychia. The treatment is the same as in any other acute infection of the skin. Prolonged soaking in hot water, putting the entire hand down into the water, a little iodine, bicarbonate of soda, or plain epsom salts may be beneficial.

As soon as a little pus appears a free opening should be made and the hand immersed in hot water. If the disease burrows under the root of the nail, it may be necessary to lift up the root and cut away the loosened portion. Cauterization or scraping the nail bed may be required.

Rapid care and attention will usually prevent the severe results. A strip of fine oxide adhesive plaster placed over a hangnail will prevent further tearing and often end the soreness. When redness and pain are first discovered, an ointment of zinc oxide, eucalyptol, boric acid and vasoline should be rubbed around the nail until it dries.

Do not neglect it. If your general health is not good, lesions are indicated, should the condition become chronic.

Short Cuts

Before washing, soothe milky or gloved, "soothe the milky" and lay them out for drying over the outside of the hand down to the wrist. This will stop the itching and the itching will stop.

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Guide to Charm

Glamour Right Note for Time of Big Party

By JACQUELINE HUNT

IT is right that women should love glamour; that they should dress as beautifully as possible and use artifice make-up to emphasize all of their best features. Right now, especially, you will want to make yourself festive for the week of parties ahead.

First of all, take a look at your hair. Hair has so many possibilities for glamour. Are you satisfied with the condition of your hair with your coiffure? It was so easy to overlook such details while you were busy with your Christmas shopping and other holiday tasks. Give a luxurious shampoo at a good salon or at home. An egg shampoo or a special hot oil shampoo will restore the luster to the hair and leave it soft and manageable so you can try a new arrangement.

For the latter, if possible, consult a hair stylist, who will study your features, the contour of your head and the way any natural wave can be trained. Let him shape your hair and set it into a coiffure which is individual and flattering.

If you arrange your hair at home do not try anything too different from the coiffure you are wearing—only a wave that is more softly swirled, a few curls set at a different angle, or your hair brushed a little higher at the crown of the head. And do see what a carefully chosen hair ornament will do!

Hair ornaments are appearing at every evening affair, and they add a note of gaiety and formality. You have many kinds to choose from. If your hair is dark and lovely the rhinestone clips or shining coronets of gold or silver leaves are the best choice. There are other ornaments of bright flowers in sprays or wreaths and little jeweled caps to give the right accent to your evening gown.

Try to allow yourself an extra hour before making up for any party. In this time you can have a warm, refreshing bath, possibly a half nap or a rest-sound with soothing compresses over your eyes, apply your make-up with extra care, dress and add the little finishing touches that take more time than your ordinary can spare, but that are so worth while.

Look at your hands critically. Even though you have had a manicure in the last few days, you may wish to wear a more dramatic shade of polish with your evening gown. If you do not apply fresh polish, the tips of your nails can always stand a little attention and around the nails removes any suggestion of harshness and gives your polish a nicer luster.

As a last enchanting touch, spray on a suggestion of your favorite perfume—or a new perfume, if Santa was thoughtful enough to leave you a gift in your stocking. There is nothing that adds a gay, sparkling party mood quicker than perfume!

Beauty Tips

QUESTION: "My skin always has a bluish flush, and it tends to be very dry. I also have trouble finding a suitable lipstick. My lips become dry and the lipstick cakes unbecomingly. Troubled."

The color and condition of your skin indicate a poor circulation, and I think you would be wise to consult a doctor before proceeding with some treatments. Obviously, you need some regular exercise. Since your skin is sensitive, a good oily foundation cream for protection whenever you go out of doors is advised. Use beige powder, with only a suggestion of red, to tone down your high color. As an added precaution, massage the lips with a little pomade or camphor ice at night and before you apply your lipstick in the daytime.

QUESTION: "Please tell me how to make a good lotion that will protect my skin. It is both oily and sensitive, a rather unusual combination, I believe. It is especially sensitive to cold, and as I am out of doors a great deal, my skin looks bluish most of the time. Worried."

Try to get at the basic cause for the condition of your skin. It may be a sluggish circulation or some systemic disorder that is causing the difficulty. Have you tried using one of the non-greasy foundation creams before you go out of doors? This may be applied freely before you dust on your powder and would be more effective than any home-made lotion.

Steam Carrots Whole

Carrots steamed whole have the advantage of retaining nearly all the original mineral and vitamin values. When sliced or sliced use a little water as possible and cook only until tender.

A Cute Trick



A novel effect is gained in this black velvet dinner dress worn by Betty Furness, by its divided crown. The crown, of stitched velvet, has a three-inch separation, allowing the hair to show through, and tying in front with wide velvet bow. This hat is from her personal wardrobe.

Fringe Taken Into Fashion World's Ken

By IRENE VAIL

New York.—That one may elect to wear fringe and escape any criticism of over-dressing is the season's nicest surprise. Fringe sounds a great deal more dressed-up than it really is. Some of the most successful day dresses of the winter are trimmed with it, not the long Spanish shawl variety, of course, but some of the clipped or more restrained trimmings.

In fact, the military braids and frogs of the earlier showings have really fallen off, but let traces in contrast piping and plaisters, and in cords and tassels and fringes. In several collections coarse mesh yokes have been revived to veil back décolleté or make the sleeves or merely to give a little neck yoke from which the dress hangs, for instance, an entire bolero of heavy passementerie mesh or cordwork.

Maggy Rouff has an effective dress made of chenille mesh with cape of the same mesh ending in fringes. Fringes continue to re-emerge in the chevron, marshmallow and macaroni and turn the mixture into the hollowed-out angel cake. Wrap in waxed paper and chill.

One of the amusing features recently introduced is a frilly lace petticoat under a dark street dress. It is an interesting idea and one that is likely to develop into a resort fashion for lace, and novelty net, appearing in many southern collections, both for entire dresses or details. The petticoat idea is new and appealing.

This is not the first time it has pleased fashion to launch evening fashions for daytime or street colors and daytime details for evening. The shirtwaist dress for formal functions is a shining example of this, shining literally as well as figuratively, since most of the evening versions of this type are either metal or shining satin. The harem skirt is another example of this amusing practice, and the midnight tulleur is another.

Modes and Manners

QUESTION: "What is the proper way to notify one's friends of a change in address?—K. L."

ANSWER: Issue cards to friends and acquaintances, giving the new address. If one has a wide circle of friends, these cards may be printed. At the same time, you should notify the postal authorities so that any letters addressed to the old address may be redirected to you at the new address.

QUESTION: "When an overnight guest pops in unexpectedly, what is a surprised hostess supposed to do?—D. M. N."

ANSWER: Make the guest welcome. Take her to the guest room at once and leave her to unpack and to rest and refresh herself. This will give the hostess a breathing spell, an opportunity to collect her wits and get used to the idea of having company in the house before they meet again.

Dishes for Today Job of Housewife Now Is To Jolt Jaded Appetites

By JUDITH WILSON

HERE are recipes for some of the dishes given in our menus for the week. Some of them are simple and inexpensive, others like the Charlotte Russe are more elaborate, but all of them are delicious and will appeal to appetites that are a little dulled by Christmas feasting.

Fried Mush
Cook rice, add any grits or cornmeal until very stiff and smooth. Turn into greased cake tins or baking powder cans. Chill to harden. Slice and fry in butter until golden brown. Serve with butter and sprig of onion.

With a small sharp knife scoop out the inside of a large angel cake, leaving walls and bottom about 1 inch thick. Dice 12 marshmallows and 1 dozen candied cherries and crush about 1/2 dozen stale macarons. Sprinkle 1 tablespoon gelatin in 1/4 cup cold water and let soften, then dissolve with 1/4 cup boiling water. Add 1/2 cup sugar and stir until it is dissolved. Whip 2 cups heavy cream until it begins to thicken, add 1 teaspoon vanilla and gradually drip into the gelatin mixture, beating constantly until very stiff.

Poly in the cheap into a marshmallow and macarons and turn the mixture into the hollowed-out angel cake. Wrap in waxed paper and chill.

Sauerkraut and Spareribs
Put 4 cups sauerkraut in a baking dish. Pour in 1/2 cup water for each pound of spareribs and arrange the ribs on top of the sauerkraut. Bake in a slow oven, covered, for 2 1/2 hours. Remove the ribs and place in a serving dish. Pour the liquid from the sauerkraut and add 1/2 cup butter and return to the oven for 10 minutes, or until the potatoes are lightly browned. Serve very hot with the browned spareribs.

Salmon Chowder
Saute together 1/4 pound fat salt pork cut into cubes and 1 large onion chopped. Add 4 large raw potatoes, cubed, and 2 cups water. Simmer until the potatoes are tender. Add 1 quart milk and 1 can red salmon, broken into rather large pieces and boned. Let boil up once, remove from the stove and serve with toasted crackers or bread sticks. A salad and simple dessert is enough to make a satisfying meal.

Cauliflower Salad
Put 3 tablespoons each oil and vinegar, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 2 1/2 teaspoons sugar a dash of paprika, a few grains pepper and 1/2 teaspoon grated onion into a covered jar and shake well to blend. Combine with 1 1/2 cups crisp shredded lettuce, 1 cup thinly sliced raw cauliflower and 3 tablespoons finely chopped sweet pickle. This makes a crisp salad that is unusual in flavor and texture.

Welsh Rabbit with Olives
Melt 1 tablespoon butter, and blend with 1 teaspoon cornstarch. Stir until smooth and add 1/2 cup thin cream. Cook 2 minutes and add 1/2 pound yellow cheese cut into small pieces. Season with 1/2 teaspoon salt and a few grains of cayenne and stir until cheese is melted. Last of all, add 1/2 cup

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olives cut into small pieces. Serve on toast and garnish with rashers of crisp broiled bacon.

THE SHOE PARADE



For the dress with tailored touches, the ideal all-day shoe would be an oxford with black and brown kid. The shoes in black and brown kid with patent leather belt strap is an aristocrat in tailored kidskin shoes. To emphasize the feminine effect try a dressy step-in with stitched design on tip and heel. Stitched necklines, stitched belt effects, stitched pockets, all emphasize the costume-rightness of the kidskin step-in.

MODERN WOMEN

The Question Is How Much Should a Wife Influence Hubby's Business

By MARION MAYS MARTIN

HOW much influence should a man's wife have over his judgment? Especially his judgment on business matters? Or should she have any? Is woman's intuition really worth anything at all when it comes to determining important matters?

You and Your Child

Parent Too Hasty in Accusing Child

By JANE HERBERT GOWARD

I WISH you wouldn't tamper with the papers on my desk, Benny." As dad spoke he rubbed his cheek and looked annoyed. "Last night I put an important letter right here with a weight over it and now it is gone." Benny looked dazed; he did not know what his father was talking about. But mother spoke up brightly. "Do you mean that two page letter from the top drawer for safekeeping?"

Dad pulled out the drawer and found the letter. "I get blamed for everything," Benny complained bitterly. "Sorry, old man," dad apologized with his eyes glued to the typewritten page, and the incident was promptly forgotten by him. But Benny continued feeling aggrieved. After all, he was the one who had been victimized. It is so easy to blame a child when something gets misplaced or broken. But even though a child is proved guilty in nine out of ten cases, you take a chance when you assume his guilt in the tenth case. A parent cannot afford to take this chance. He never knows when he may be wrong.

A wrongfully accused child is filled with a sense of injustice. The pros and cons very rarely tally with his. He is quite likely to ask her advice and even, stranger still, to take it—especially when it coincides with his own ideas. He is not inclined to be superior or feel she doesn't know what she is talking about. He is willing to listen, and is frequently amazed at her astuteness. A raise in salary is not necessarily dazzling enough to blind the wife's eyes to the advantages the new job might entail.

Breaking in a new job, especially if one is comfortably fitted to the old one, is never accomplished without a considerable loss to one's nervous system. When the advantage it offers is slight the wife wise cautions against assuming an added burden of worry and a new load of fear. Is the husband wise in listening to her fears and apprehensions, or should he strike out on his own, leaving her no say in the matter of where or how?

They Give Credit

Whether it's the chivalrous instinct in man, or just a matter of telling the truth, it must be conceded most men give due credit to their wives and seem to have lived long enough to learn hers was the better judgment.

"If it hadn't been for my wife I would never have been where I am today," is not an uncommon observation of successful men. Which might seem to argue that woman's judgment, or intuition if you prefer, is seldom at fault, at least not more often than man's. Any thinking person, however, at making momentous decisions for others. Too great a responsibility for most. It's putting a wife on the spot when a man leaves any big issue entirely up to her. Undoubtedly there will be many who read this who believe it is strictly within a wife's province to make such decisions. Perhaps they are right, but most men want, either out of curiosity or for guidance, to know their wives' reactions.

A change of job often means a change in the mode of living. A man in the working condition of life is usually results in a change of the living conditions of the man. It is only fair to consult with each other and to talk it over and weigh the evidence and the pros and cons of all parties concerned. At this season, many are beginning of a new year. There are many families confronting with just such a problem. The small matter to disburse the family, but to them big issue is involved.

In such matters woman's intuition may be put to the test. It is to be hoped it proves worthy.

Mrs. Martin will be glad to answer in this column any question of general interest. Mrs. Martin cannot reply individually to every correspondent. Name will not be published. Address her care of this paper.

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FOR RENT—Five room house. Hardwood floors, high basement. 138 South 19th Street. 11-27-35.

Wanted.

WANTED—Night Cook for short orders. Apply Deluxe Grill, 1524 Macdonald Ave. 11-23-35.

MISCELLANEOUS—FOR SALE

FURS—Factory Samples: fur coats, jackets, foxes, collars. Huge stock. Furs remodeled. The House of 1000 Fur Bargains. Dow's Wholesale Furs, 133 Kearny St., San Francisco. 11-23-35.

CHRISTMAS TREES

The best buy in town for fancy trees, large and small. Oregon grown, free delivery. Eighth and Keylin. 12-20-35.

RADIOS

FOR SALE—AIBAP, second hand radio in A-1 condition. V. O. Electric Co., 1314 Macdonald avenue, telephone Rich. 923. 12-29-35.

FEED AND FUEL

FUEL & FEED, coal, wood and kindling. Leading brands of children feed and laying mash. Special prices for Cash and Carry. Richmond Feed and Fuel Co., 401 Sixteenth street, telephone Rich. 390. 12-18-35.

BICYCLES

GOOD REBUILT BICYCLES, from \$10.00 up. See the Richmond Cycle Shop for lowest cost. Phone 3270 for service. John Null, 311 23rd street, telephone 3270. 12-13-35.

FURNISHED ROOMS

FURNISHED ROOMS—Day, week or month. Hot and cold water, clean, courteous service. Tel. Rich. 589; 382-2nd street, near Macdonald. 12-17-35.

BUILDING MATERIAL

USED BUILDING MATERIAL, doors, windows, bricks, plumbing and electrical supplies. Prices reasonable. Firewood 25c a sack. P. Mahomed, 1600 Barrett Ave. 12-17-35.

TURKEYS

Order your Christmas turkey now, live or dressed, guaranteed corn fed. Priers 4 for \$1.00; day old and started chicks. Richmond Hatchery, 34th and Macdonald ave.; telephone 1156-R. 12-17-35.

F. D. R. Takes Up Neutrality In Meet With Aides

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Secretary Hull and Congressional leaders were summoned to the White House by President Roosevelt today for a discussion of neutrality legislation.

Those invited besides Hull were Assistant Secretary Moore of the State Department; Chairman Pittman, D. Nev., of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, and Chairman McReynolds, D. Tenn., of the House Foreign Affairs Committee.

The existing neutrality act under which exports of arms and munitions to warring Italy and Ethiopia have been banned expires February 29.

Two New Units To U. S. Fleet Are Launched

BREMERTON, Wash., Dec. 31.—UP—The twin destroyers Perkins and Cushing, newest units of the United States fleet, floated on Puget Sound tonight, after being christened with champagne and launched in a ceremony attended by military, naval and civil officials.

The ships were named for two Civil War naval heroes, Commander William Barker Cushing and Commodore George Hamilton Perkins. Their daughters, Miss Katherine A. Cushing, Fredonia, N. Y., and Mrs. Isabel Anderson, Brookline, Mass., wife of former Ambassador to Japan Lars Anderson, broke the bottles across the sleek, silver-gray bows of the destroyers.

LEGAL NOTICES

ORDINANCE NO. 751

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 740 OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND. The Council of the City of Richmond do ordain as follows: Section 1. Ordinance No. 740, entitled "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 512 OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND BY ADDING A NEW SECTION THERETO TO BE KNOWN AS SECTION 11 1/2" is hereby repealed.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after its final passage and adoption. I hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was duly passed and adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond, at a regular meeting thereof held December 30, 1935, by the following vote: Ayes: Councilmen Imbach, Ripley, Tiller, Chandler, Johnson, Hinkley, Bell, Ludwig, and Scott. Noes: None. Absent: None. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate seal of the City of Richmond.

(SEAL) C. C. FARIS, Clerk of the City of Richmond. Approved: W. W. SCOTT, Mayor. Publish Jan. 1, 1936.

FOR SALE—1 saddle horse, 3 pigs, 1 young fresh milch cow. Call on Frank Nappie, 1409 Filbert street, North Richmond. 12-29-35.

Dr. Scholl's Foot Comfort Appliances

can relieve you of foot troubles as they have thousands of other sufferers. We have these famous devices here at the store. Our foot comfort demonstrator will gladly show what they can do for you.

Don't wish you had come in—be glad you did

STAR BRAND SHOES

A full line of this standard brand of footwear carried in stock. Pol Parrot money given with each purchase, dollar for dollar.

Arch support shoes for men and women

B. B. Comfort Shoe Store

Arch Supports from \$1 up
720 Macdonald Ave.

OLD PEOPLE find way to keep breath wholesome

Halitosis (bad breath) quickly yields to Listerine, safe antiseptic and deodorant

Either because of stomach disturbance, food fermentation, or the wearing of false teeth, old people frequently have halitosis (bad breath). No wonder others consider them a nuisance. But now Science has found that the regular use of Listerine will often overcome offensive mouth odors due to the fermentation of tiny bits of food on mouth, teeth, or dental plate surfaces.

Try using Listerine every two or three days. See how much more wholesome is leaving your mouth. How it sweetens your breath. Lambert Pharmaceutical Co., St. Louis, Mo.

Don't offend others—Check halitosis with LISTERINE

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Crossword Puzzle

By LARS MORRIS

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

1-Bring up	2-Total	3-Rodents	4-Napoleon's island	5-Card letter	6-Mental conception	7-Bury two ideas	8-Chinese society	9-Young goat	10-Turn	11-One spot	12-Apple drink	13-Part of South Africa	14-New York canal	15-Agreement	16-Sunday	17-Regulate	18-Local profession	19-Artist's stand	20-And not	21-Female voice	22-Undermine	23-Sandwich	24-Rattlesnakes island	25-Islands	26-Afternoon meal	27-Widely	28-Farther
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1-Confederate soldier	2-Man's name
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Where and what is whip-poor-will

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12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59

Things That Never Happen

MY TITLE IS GENUINE BUT I FRANKLY ADMIT I'M BROKE AND BESIDES I NEVER HAD OVER SIX DOLLARS AT ONE TIME IN MY LIFE

TITLED GENTLEMAN WHO IS ABOUT TO CAPTURE AN HEIRESS

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Lodge and Meeting Notices

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Richmond Lodge, No. 13, meets every Wednesday night at K. of P. hall, Fifth St. near Macdonald. Visitors always welcome. W. C. RICHARDS, C. C. F. G. BLACKHART, K. R. S.

Pr. RICHMOND ARIENS NO. 354

F. O. E. meets every Thursday at 8 p. m. in Brotherhood Hall, 257 Fifth St. F. V. Brewen, Wor. thy President, 55 Nineteenth Street, Richmond. Phone Rich. 2455. W. McChristian, Sec., Phone 1085. Dr. J. W. Bumgarner, Phys., 806 Macdonald Ave. Phone 78-W—house 76-R.

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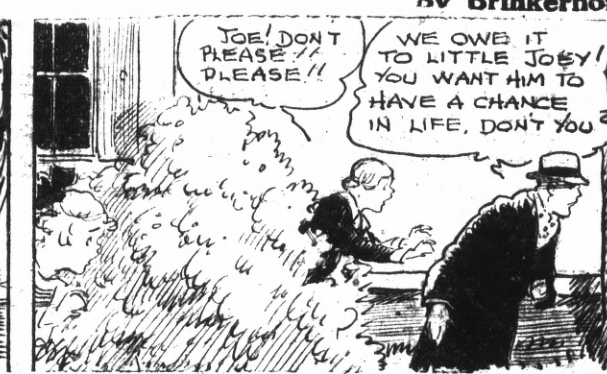
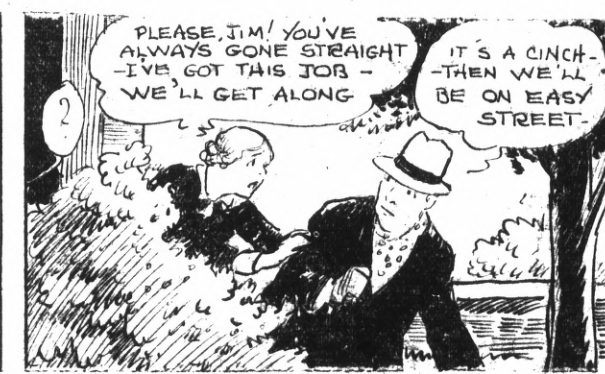
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LITTLE DOES THE GAN KNOW THAT TROUBLE IS IN THE OFFING

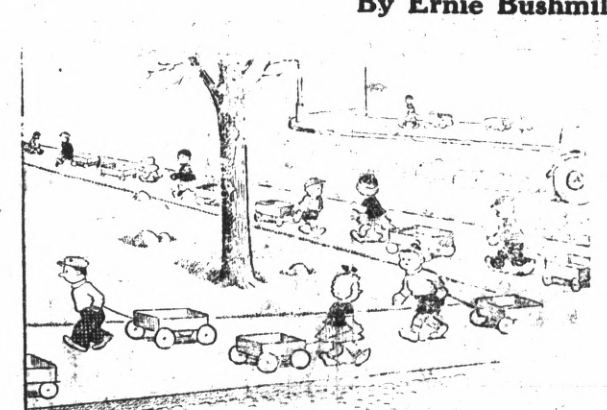


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FRITZI RITZ



LOOY DOT DOPE



GOLD CLAUSE AGES ATTACK IN U. S. COURT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—A fresh attack on the constitutionality of the act of Congress abrogating the gold clause in contracts calling for payment in gold was filed today with the Supreme Court.

The appeal was presented by a Columbia concern, Compania de Inversiones Financieras, which contended that the law did not apply to international transactions between non-residents of the United States.

The action was brought against the Industrial Mortgage Bank of Finland in an effort to recover \$307 on securities instead of the face value of \$3135. The larger amount was asked on account of the cut in the dollar's gold weight to 90.06 per cent of the content at the time the investment was made.

New York State courts, from which the appeal was filed, denied the larger amount and awarded judgment for the smaller sum.

The Columbia concern sought to recover the larger amount on three first mortgage collateral 7 per cent sinking fund gold bonds of the Finland Bank, which were payable in United States gold coin "of the standard of weight and fineness as it existed on July 1, 1934." It contended the larger number of present day dollars was necessary to represent the same amount of gold as the original investment.

Pittsburgh U. Is Placed On The Blacklist

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 31.—The American Association of University Professors placed the University of Pittsburgh on its "ineligible list" today because of the alleged "insecurity of academic tenure."

Dr. Ralph E. Hinstend of Syracuse University, chairman of a committee which investigated the university, told the delegates "the administration of Dr. Bowman is inimical to the ideas of his association."

Theft Of Till At Cafe Is Reported

Theft of a cash register yesterday morning from Bill's Club at 342 San Pablo avenue, El Cerrito, was reported to El Cerrito police.

W. W. Wells, cook at the cafe, reported that a mysterious man entered the place and ordered something to eat. While Wells was cooking the order, the customer picked up the till and walked out. He got \$45.



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LOC CABIN	BURGUNDY 49c
MOHAWK	ZINFANDE 49c
11-Oz. Bottle	CLARET GAL
PER CASE \$1.19	ANGELICA SHERRY
	MUSCATEL
	PORT, TOKAY 98c
	GAL.
BEER	WHISKEY
Ace, Grace Bros, Lucky	1/2 pt. 30c
Lager, Golden	Pint 49c
Glow, Regal Am	Qt. 98c
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PLUS STATE TAX

a word in edgewise; wise and otherwise

P. R. MILNES

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It would take an unusual degree of temerity to indulge in prophecy.

It will easily be recalled that the less an authority can General Johnson, aided and abetted by supporters, predictions from Donald Rielberg, solemnly told us that the death of the NRA would plunge us into economic chaos. Yet the Blue Bird gave its expiring squawk and the world wagged on just the same.

As prophecies they proved to be no great shakes. Then there were the economists who said that an expansion of bank loans would certainly follow the pumping of government money into the banks, thereby stimulating business; and that the New Securities Act would destroy business by making financing impossible. Yet neither of these results has come to pass. Despite continuous and persistent pumping by the government, bank loans have not appreciably risen and 1935 was a good year for financing. Unemployment was, to cease with the spending of the relief billions, yet more men are out of work today than before the spending spree began.

Instances of poor guessing could be cited by the thousands.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

All of which indicates that we may indulge our predilections for guessing to the utmost and the chances are that nothing will happen as we expect it to. As it is a presidential year we are on safe ground in anticipating an exciting election, but we refrain from predicting the outcome. There are too many things that can happen between now and November to risk being made look foolish by long distance prophecy.

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Interment will be in Sunset View cemetery.

Mrs. McCain had resided in Richmond since 1918.

Soviets Protest Uruguay Action

MOSCOW, Dec. 31.—UP—The Soviet government tonight filed a complaint with Secretary General of the League, Joseph Avenol, charging Uruguay with violation of Article 12 of the League covenant by breaking off relations without appealing to arbitration or the League Council.

PROSPERITY TO BE KEYNOTE OF ROOSEVELT DRIVE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—The major strategy of New Dealers in coping to their critics in the 1935 campaign will be to say, in effect: "Look at the indices of business and employment."

This was made plain by Postmaster General Farley last night in a radio speech, in which he said: "The constant rising tide of prosperity is the answer to all the attacks on the Roosevelt administration."

"The contrast between the state of the Nation today and what it was on the advent of Franklin D. Roosevelt to the White House is all the retort required to the sprawling barrage that is proceeding from the anti-Roosevelt committee."

Farley was one of several Democrats who made pronouncements bearing on 1936, while their foes listened and prepared counter-attacks.

Doris Duke And Mate Deny They Expect Arrival

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 31.—UP—Ending a 10-months' honeymoon cruise around the world, Jimmy Cromwell and the former Doris Duke tripped down the gangplank of the liner Monterey today to deny they are expecting an heir or heirs.

Cromwell said they would spend several days in Los Angeles, possibly attend the Rose Bowl football game tomorrow, and then fly to New York aboard the plane of Walker Inman. Mrs. Cromwell's half-brother. They were met aboard ship by Walter Brooks, Cromwell's nephew and son of his sister, Mrs. Lionel Atwill, wife of the actor. In their party were their secretaries, Elizabeth Knox and Harry Tooley.

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Note Sender Will Face Lindy Law

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 31.—Roland E. Markell, 21, messenger boy who sent threatening extortion notes to two wealthy Rochester men "just for the thrill," faced a hearing today before a United States Commissioner on a charge of violating the "Lindbergh law."

Although he is accused of attempting to extort \$100,000 from Frank Gannett, owner of a chain of newspapers, and \$150,000 from Louis A. Wehle, president of the Genesee Brewing Company, both of Rochester, Markell is classed by Federal Attorney George L. Grobe as "more of a case for a straight-jacket than handcuffs. He is of the same type as those individuals who pull false fire alarms for the thrill."

Gov. Merriam May Save Life Of Doomed Man

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 31.—UP—Possibility that Governor Frank F. Merriam will grant a reprieve to Clarence De Moss, 42, convicted Turlock wife slayer scheduled to hang at San Quentin prison January 3, was indicated by attaches of the governor's office today.

Although Superior Judge Hal S. Shaffer, Turlock, today refused to grant a stay of execution to the former mechanic, it was said full information on the legal status of De Moss would be forwarded Governor Merriam in Los Angeles.

Bandit Leader, Aides Slain By Filipino Cops

MANILA, P. I., Jan. 1.—UP—Philippines constabulary officers tonight confirmed reports of the slaying of Teodoro Asedillo and two members of his bandit gang charged with terrorizing mountain provinces for months.

Asedillo was shot and killed near Santa Cruz by 10 constabularymen who cornered him with Vincente Aranea and Juan De La Torre, officers said.

The slayings culminated a drive against the gang, pressed since inauguration of President Manuel Quezon. It was believed that only Captain Kules Enillado and a handful of followers still remain in the group. Two constabulary guides were killed only last Sunday in a brush with the bandits.

Final Respects Are Paid To Late Charles S. Pierce

Friends gathered at the Wilson and Kratzer chapel yesterday to pay final respects to the late Charles S. Pierce of Pinole, who died at a local hospital Sunday night.

A Christian Science service was held with the Pinole lodge of Masons in charge of the rites.

Members of the Richmond Pyramid of Scots, who acted as pallbearers were Dr. George A. Boehmer, toparch: Albert Ledgwood, H. B. Chapman, E. M. Logan, J. R. Arhuckle and Ed Hardeman.

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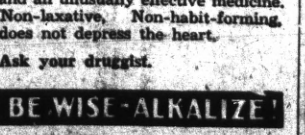
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Lindbergh And Family Land, At Liverpool Port

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They disembarked shortly after noon from the American Importer, smiling a greeting at the hundreds of reporters and photographers along the docks but refusing to be interviewed. They got into a limousine and hurried to the Adelphi hotel where accommodations had been reserved.

Coming to England to seek safety for their son, the Lindberghs clouded their plans with the same secrecy they maintained on the lonely voyage across the Atlantic. They planned to stay overnight at the hotel.

Scoutmasters' Training Will Be Held Here

A six weeks training course for Scoutmasters and commissioners will be held starting Monday night, January 13, according to announcements made yesterday by Herbert L. Hunt, local Boy Scout executive board member.

The course will include all elements of scoutmastership, principles of commissionership and other instructions.

The course is sponsored by the Berkeley-Contra Costa county area and will be open to all Scoutmasters, commissioners and interested adults.

The course will be held in Berkeley January 13; Richmond, January 20; Concord, January 27; Berkeley, February 3; Richmond, February 10 and Concord, February 17.

New President Is Elected To Succeed Gomez

CARACAS, Venezuela, Dec. 31.—Gen. Alejandro Lopez Contreras was elected president of Venezuela today to serve out the unexpired term of the late dictator Juan Vicente Gomez, who died two weeks ago.

Gomez was elected in 1931 for a seven-year term.

Lopez Contreras has been serving as provisional president.

(Dispatches from the West Indies have indicated that calm was returning to Venezuela after the reported deaths of 150 persons in rioting which followed Gomez's demise).

Thompson Hits Proposed Laws

BERKELEY, Dec. 31.—UP—Opposition to any effort of the State government to take over the duties of municipal governments was expressed today by Hollis Thompson, city manager of Berkeley and president of the California League of Municipalities.

Thompson said the proposed State commission to supervise municipal budgets, revenues and taxation would result in removing government further from the people and asserted the league's opposition would be outlined at the governor's conference on taxation to be held in Sacramento January 15.

China Clipper Hops On Sunday

ALAMEDA, Dec. 31.—UP—The next trans-Pacific flight of the China Clipper will begin Sunday, January 5, at 3 P. M. Pan American Airways announced today. The plane, although several times scheduled to take off, has been delayed by unfavorable weather.

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LIQUOR STAMP PAY PUZZLE UP TO THE STATE

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 31.—Who will pay the American Decalcomania Company of Chicago, \$17,000 for the liquor stamps it furnished the State on a contract held invalid was a question asked today at the Capitol.

The Board of Equalization on an opinion by Attorney General Webb made a contract with the company to furnish 150,000,000 stamps for \$107,250.

The board had received 25,000,000 stamps up to Saturday when the Third District Court of Appeal ruled the contract was invalid because the State Finance Director had not approved it.

Dixwell Pierce, secretary of the board, said he thought the company would file a claim with the Legislature for stamps furnished to the State. He declared the State had accepted and used the stamps in good faith and he thought the Legislature would approve a claim for stamps already bought.

Pierce's observation was made with the reservation that an appeal of the court's decision is not carried to the Supreme Court successfully or that the finance director does not change his mind and approve the contract.

Secret Funeral Held For Yegg

CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—UP—John J. "Boss" McLaughlin, "short changer" in the kidnapping of Edward G. Bremer of St. Paul for which Alvin Karpis is sought, was buried secretly today in Chicago.

The Rev. Thomas Hayes, pastor of St. Patrick's church, said funeral services for McLaughlin whose death of diabetes at Leavenworth penitentiary went unannounced by officials.

TO ATTEND GAME

Among the local residents who will see the Stanford-SMU game today are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brombacher, the Emmett Hitchcock family; Attorney and Mrs. Leo Marcollo, City Attorney T. M. Carlson and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Brooks.

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